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Married Seated in their Buggy.

Last Tuesday afternoon Mr. Wyatt Conover, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Conover, and Miss Ila Epperson, daughter of Mr. T. J. Epperson, surprised their friends by driving to the residence of Rev. W. R. Wagoner, who joined the couple in wedlock while they were seated in their buggy.

The groom is a salesman in Barger Bros. store, and has many friends throughout the county, all of whom will be glad to learn that he has been happily wedded to the young lady of his choice.

The bride has been a popular school teacher, and is a favorite in the neighborhood where she was reared.

Miss Virginia Conover, cousin of the groom and Mr. Will Ed Squires were the attendants.

It is our understanding that the couple will at once go to housekeeping in Columbia.

Every man, woman and child should see "The Battle Cry of Peace" Saturday, July 1st, afternoon and night. 34-2t.

Stabbed.

Last Friday evening Walter Goff was stabbed by Jack Young in the right breast. The trouble occurred on the pike near the Christian church. As we are informed no one witnessed the trouble and we do not know the particulars. Mr. Young was arrested and put in charge of a guard. The wound is not so serious as was at first thought and Mr. Goff will probably be out in a few days.

Mr. Young will be given an examining trial next Saturday week, at which time the facts will be brought out. He is on bond in the sum of \$500.

It is reported that Campbell Oliver, a well-known colored man, met with a stroke of paralysis last Monday.

New Way to Secure a \$5.00 Rug.

I have some fine \$5.00 rugs which a customer can get one or more almost gratis. I am sending out numbered postal cards, and the amount each cash customer pays in is punched. When five dollars worth of goods is purchased, present your card and \$1.48 and I will give you a rug.

T. E. Waggener,
Columbia, Ky.
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There was a balance of \$9,000 due on the new Christian church building, at Campbellsville, last Sunday forenoon. That amount had to be paid before the dedicatory sermon. The members and other persons who were in sympathy with the denomination, in a very short time, subscribed eleven thousand dollars. While Mr. Geo. H. Gowdy abhors notoriety of any kind, it is well enough for the public to know that he contributed \$7,500 to the building of this edifice, though he is not a member of the Christian Church nor any other church. His mother was an ardent member of this denomination, and naturally Mr. Gowdy is in sympathy with it.

Mr. L. Akin, of Sparksville, grew some very fine Saplin Clover this season. He had on exhibition here a few days ago, a sample of the crop which was four feet four and one-half inches high. He had in 2 1/2 acres. From one seed 48 stalks sprang.

Harry Lazarus & Co., will be here Monday to buy mules, 14 hands 1 inch to 16 hands high.

The charge against Press Huddleston for malicious shooting was dismissed by the persons making the charge on the grounds that the woman at whom he was accused of shooting, was of unsound mind and the charge groundless.

There will be singing at Hutchison school-house beginning the first Sunday in July, in the afternoon, at 1 o'clock. It will be conducted by Darnell Bros., Cabell and Rogers.

All parties who owe me by note or account must settle at once. I need the money and must have it.

Jesse Murrell.
Will the person who has the book, "Romance of Billy Goat Hill" from the State Library, please return it at once, as the book must be returned to Frankfort. Librarian.

From a Native.

Bowling Green, June 24, 1916.
Editor News:

I see in this week's issue an article that made me feel personated, hence you will find enclosed \$1 for the News. I can't do without it at all, as I see so much about my dear ones in my native county, where I spent my happy childhood days, and I never shall forget how kind the people of Columbia were to me and my dear brother 3 years ago, when his spirit took its flight to the far away land, and some of them have gone to join him since. I often think of cousin Bill Walker—as good a boy as ever lived, who recently passed over the river, and two lone sisters, but the guardian angel and the good people of Columbia watch over them. I could mention so many who have endeared themselves to me, but time and space won't admit.

I will say something about our wonderful crop of strawberries that we have just shipped from here—370 cars 400 crates to the car \$2 per crate. You see quite a sum of money came into our county and town. There have been a great many more planted this spring, and will be twice as many next year. We've had good rains and crops are fine. Wheat and oats are short. Gardens are bountiful.

I will close hoping Adair and News success and the railroad a go.

Yours,
W. T. Flowers.

Mothers who love your sons and daughters, see "The Battle Cry of Peace," Saturday, July 1st, afternoon and night. 34-2t.

Big Deal.

It is our understanding that Messrs. W. R. Myers & Son have sold their large truck cars and two smaller machines to Mr. Noe, of Bradfordsville, who will succeed Mr. Myers as mail contractor between Columbia and Campbellsville. The deal takes effect the first of July. Mr. Myers has given entire satisfaction to the government and also the traveling public. It takes quite a sum of money to pay Mr. Myers for his outfit.

Notice.

Men who have Automobile troubles call at J. M. Kearne's machine shop and garage. He has Mr. Wade Helm now ready to adjust any auto trouble that may come before him. He is a first-class garage workman. We are also prepared to accommodate any man or any job that can be done in a shop. Give us a call. 35-3t.

The Cane Valley Brass Band, made up of twelve of the best young men in that town, played for the opening of Nell & Son's show last Friday night. The music was highly appreciated, not only by the show going people, but by the entire town of Columbia.

The new Christian church building at Campbellsville was dedicated last Sunday, an immense crowd of people being present. The church was built at an expense of \$25,000 and it is one of the handsomest in the State.

Eld. W. G. Montgomery, who was born and reared a few miles from Columbia, is the pastor. It was a big undertaking to raise twenty-five thousand dollars, but through the untiring efforts of the pastor and some of the members, the money was secured. It is an ornament to the town of Campbellsville, being beautiful in design, and is very handsomely furnished.

Nell & Son opened their picture show last Thursday night, a crowded house being present. The machine was operated to perfection, and the pictures and plays good.

I lost my umbrella. Would be glad to get it. Will Dohoney.

Mr. W. B. Rowe received a letter from Temple, Texas, a few days ago stating that Mr. M. C. Elliott, who was known all over Cumberland county had recently died in that place.

Mr. J. M. Ledbetter, who was an ex-Confederate soldier, eighty years old, died in Taylor county last week. Some years ago he frequently passed through Columbia, going to Cumberland county, where he once lived.

Childrens' Day Exercises.

One of the largest gatherings that has come together for a long time at Jamestown, assembled last Sunday night week. It was "Children's Day," and perhaps as many as fifty children assisted by a few grown persons, participated in the exercises.

Every seat in the Christian church was taken and many had to stand from the beginning until the closing.

All who took part acquitted themselves admirably, and it was frequently announced next morning that it was one of the best entertainments, of its character, ever presented to a Jamestown audience.

Everything was done in order. The singing was inspiring, the recitations splendid. In fact, every thing was done in a way to be appreciated.

There were so many who took part that it is impossible for us to particularize. The exercises were opened with an appropriate prayer by Mr. W. S. Knight.

If you fear war and want to know how to prevent its horrible consequences, see "The Battle Cry of Peace" Paramount Theatre Saturday, July 1st 34-2t.

The James Boys.

The above is the title of a play which will be given at Glenville next Saturday night, July 1st. Twelve characters are represented in the play, and it will be the most thrilling entertainment ever given in that place. The best talent in the Glenville community has been engaged, and the management feels sure that everybody will be pleased. Admission, 10 and 15 cents, the proceeds to go to a fund being gotten up to purchase an organ for the Methodist Church. Come, everybody. 35-2t.

Bakery in Columbia.

Jo Nance, an experienced baker, has opened a bakery in the basement room of the Russell & Co., and will be ready this week to supply the town of Columbia with fresh bread, cakes, pies, etc. Give him a call, satisfaction guaranteed. 35-2t.

Mr. R. W. Shirley, who lives near Milltown, is fearful that he will lose the sight of his left eye. He was recently in Louisville where he consulted specialists, but they gave him but little encouragement. He was in Columbia last Wednesday accompanied by Mrs. Shirley, and he informed The News that his eye had been giving him considerable pain for several days. His friends would be glad to hear of the sight being restored.

Brick for Sale.

I have several thousand hard brick for sale at \$1.00 per hundred. 34-3t. U. M. Grider, Craycraft, Ky.

Oscar Harrison, Jr., twenty-nine years old, a promising young lawyer, was killed by thugs in Louisville one night last week. His father is a son of Wm. F. Harrison, who in his life time was a prominent merchant of Albany, Ky. The dead man was a great nephew of the late Matilda Winfrey, of this place.

The barn and barn lot owned by Mr. E. W. Reed, situated back of his residence, has been secured by the municipal board and is designated as the Columbia Pound. All stray stock will be taken up by the marshal and placed in said pound and securely kept until the owner calls, pays charges and takes same into his possession.

S. E. Hunt, who is a State road inspector, and who was recently arrested at Jamestown and carried to Campbellsville, charged with an offense against the Commonwealth, is in the Taylor county jail, awaiting bond. Bond has been given and Mr. Hunt is now in Russell county, at work.

St. John's Day was appropriately celebrated by Hood Masonic Lodge last Saturday. There were a number of visiting Masons present, good speeches being made, and an abundance of dinner. On account of urgent business several speakers who were expected were detained at home.

An Attractive Home Wedding.

Miss Mat Davis and Mr. Willie R. Feese were married last Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, at the home of the bride's cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Tupman. Miss Pink Callison was maid of honor. Her dress was of white taffeta with pointed tunic of net. She carried a bouquet of ferns and pink roses.

The groom was attended by his cousin, Mr. John Smith.

The bride wore a dress of white georgette crepe and carried a shower bouquet of roses and sweet peas. Mrs. Tupman played the wedding march.

They received many handsome presents.

"The Battle Cry of Peace" showing America's unpreparedness, Saturday, July 1st, afternoon and night.

Adair County Teacher's Institute.

The Adair County Teacher's Institute for 1916, will convene at the Lindsey-Wilson school building on Monday, July 24, at 9 a. m. Prof. E. C. McDougle, of the Eastern Kentucky State Normal will be chief instructor. He will be assisted by Prof. J. W. Ramsey, of Catlettsburg, Ky., who will lead the music and give special work in seventh and eighth grade teaching. These two men are both live wires in their profession, and we expect a great institute. All teachers and persons holding certificates of any kind are required by law to attend the full term of the institute. Tobias Huffaker, Supt.

Mr. Gaither Bryant, who was a gallant Confederate soldier, was in Columbia last Wednesday, the first time for many months. He is now seventy-seven years old, and for some time he has been unable to leave his home on account of rheumatism. He underwent many hardships during the civil war, but he does not often refer to the record he made during that bloody strife, a record of honor and daring deeds of a heroic soldier. Gen. Jo Lewis under whom Mr. Bryant fought, speaking of him, said in this town upon one occasion, that he was the most fearless man he ever saw, and to every bugle call to fall in line, he was willing and ready.

Mr. J. E. Humble, of Russell Springs, was here last Thursday with his son, John E. Humble, who was en route for Leitchfield, in answer to a telegram received from his brother, Alonzo, who is a member of the State Guards, and who has been ordered to the front. The younger Humble goes to Leitchfield to remain with his brother's family while the latter is serving his country. Mr. J. E. Humble talked to his son, Alonzo, while here, and the former stated that the Mexicans engaged the United States troops Wednesday, and that forty of our men were killed, but the Mexican command was routed.

Under the auspices of the National Sporting Club, Bridgeport, Connecticut, Hugh Ross, who was born and reared on Cumberland river, Cumberland county, and who is a former student of the Lindsey-Wilson, this place, met Al McCoy, the world's middleweight champion, last Monday night, in a boxing bout in that city. The result will not be known here for several days, but Ross was looked upon as a winner.

Garage.

We have opened a Garage near Sandusky Bros. mill, and are prepared to do all kinds of automobile work, storage battery and carburetor trouble a specialty. Work guaranteed. Phone 16-0 Williams & Patteson. 34-2t.

The social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Rowe last Tuesday night was largely attended. Several Columbians were in attendance and they report the occasion very enjoyable.

Rev. S. J. Thompson officiated at a double wedding at Milltown last Sunday. The contracting parties were Mr. Alvin Poff and Miss Pearl Wilson; Mr. Andrew Poff and Miss Bessie Wilson.

Next Monday, county court, Harry Lazarus & Co., will be here to buy mules. Bring them to town. From 4 to 8 years old.

Dr. W. G. Hunter left Louisville this (Tuesday) morning for Columbia, and will come prepared to enter into the railroad deal. Adair county is ready, and next week we hope to be able to be in position to announce to the public that a contract has been made and that the road will be built.

Seats are now on sale for the "Battle Cry of Peace" at L. M. Young's. Get them while there is a choice.

A Message From Senator James.

At the close of the St. Louis convention at which the President and Vice-President were re-nominated by acclamation, a fact without parallel in American history and which has but one interpretation, "Well done thou good and faithful servants," Senator James sent the following message back to Kentucky through the delegation from this state.

"When you get home boys," said Ollie M. James to a number of Kentucky delegates, who had appeared to congratulate him on his speech; the great demonstration that was accorded him and the manner in which he had acquitted himself as the permanent chairman of the convention, "Tell every democrat you meet to lay aside his factional feelings, if he is unfortunate enough to have any, and to get on his toes for Wilson and Marshall and his democratic candidate for Congress and remain on his toes, showing no quarter and holding every advantage legitimately gained until the fight is ended in victory on November 7th."—Cincinnati Enquirer June 18.

This message ought to be heeded especially by the Senator's friends in this district, where a contest is pending for the Congressional nomination against a man who has consistently at all times endeavored to uphold the hands of the President and which contest is not calculated to increase Kentucky's majority or insure her electoral vote for Wilson.—Adv.

If you want a good price for your mules bring them to Columbia next Monday. Harry Lazarus and Co., will be here.

Jurors in Russell Circuit Court.

The following gentlemen make up the jurors for the present term of the Russell circuit court, including those who were summoned as reserves:

GRAND JURORS.

S. B. Collins, Uriah Dunbar, A. G. Coffey, J. S. Dickerson, L. R. Holder, Dillard Aaron, Wolford Wilson, Luther Miller, J. S. VonLinger, H. C. Wilson, G. F. Eastham, John Antle.

PETIT JURORS.

C. R. Dowell, B. O. Bernard, W. M. Wilson, J. H. Phelps, S. Rexroat, L. C. Irwin, B. H. Hall, B. D. McFarland, Jeff Thomas, Ed Sullivan, G. D. Conover, J. E. Absher, J. A. Webb, Mark Brown, J. V. Dockery, J. B. Bradley, Luther Coffey, W. A. Carnes, E. M. Whittle, M. L. Grider, J. B. Faulkenburg, Samuel Chumbley, D. C. Breeding, Hiram Campbell, W. A. Jones, J. C. Holt, Bryan Blair, C. Stephens, L. W. Chumbley, W. A. Beck, Larkin Story.

It is impossible for the News to secure all the names of those who attended the dedication at Campbellsville last Sunday. Suffice it to say that something like one hundred persons, residents of Columbia and in the vicinity went over in autos and buggies.

Mrs. W. P. Summers entertained a few of her friends to six o'clock dinner on Thursday, at her home on Bomar Heights. The guest were: Mrs. G. F. Stults, Gordon Montgomery, F. A. Rosenbaum, Allen Walker, S. P. Miller and Miss Octavia Reed.

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Misses Mary and Susan Miller gave a picnic on their lawn Monday afternoon for their guest, Miss Mary Edwards, of Louisville, and their brother, Dr. O. P. Miller.

Mrs. Fenna Eubank will please accept the thanks of News office force for some delicious apples.